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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of April 9, 2003, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on July 9, 2003, and which has been extended to expire on September 9, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action together with consideration and allowance of all the claims pending herein, in due course.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.